GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – PR&RD Department – Irregularities in MGNREGS works – Disciplinary proceedings instituted against Smt K. Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,) - Penalty of 5 % cut in pension for a period of two years – Awarded - Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 485 Dated: 18-08-2020

Read the following:

1. From the CPR&RD, Lr. No.10650/CPR&RD/A2/ 2008,dated 18.06.2015.
2. CPR&RE, Charge Memo.No.10650/CPR&RE/A1/2008, dated:22.08.2009.
3. CPR&RE Proceedings No. 10650/CPR&RE/A1/2008, dated 12.04.2012.
4. CEO, Kurnool Lr. Rc.No. A8/2652/2008, dated 05.07.2014.
5. CPR&RE Memo No. 10650/CPR&RE/A1/2008, dated 16.09.2014.
6. CEO, Kurnool Rc. No. A8/2652/2008, dated. 06.05.2015.
7. Govt. Memo.No.14278.Vig.IV/A2/2014., dated 03.08.2018.
8. From Smt.K.Kalavathi, Retd, MPDO, Kurnool District explanation, dated 28.08.2018.
9. From APPSC, Lr.No214/DC&C/2019, dated 27.08.2019.

O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Tadepalli, Guntur District has reported that the District Collector & DPC, NREGS, DWMA, Kurnool while furnishing preliminary enquiry report of the Programme Manager, NREGS, requested to take disciplinary action against Smt.K.Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,), for the irregularities committed under MGNREGS. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development has framed Article of Charges against Smt K. Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,), in the reference 2nd read above. After receipt of explanation of the Charged Officer, in the reference 3rd read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development appointed the Chief Executive Officer, ZPP, Kurnool as the Inquiry Officer and the Presenting Officer also to conduct inquiry into the charges framed against Smt K. Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,).

2. In the reference 4th read above, the Inquiry Authority & Chief Executive Officer, Kurnool has submitted enquiry report and held that (7) charges framed against the Charged Officer are held proved.

3. In the reference 5th read above, the enquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer and in the reference 6th read above, the explanation of Charged Officer was submitted.

4. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development has submitted the enquiry report and explanation of the Charged Officer to the Government and informed that under Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, Government is the competent authority to conclude disciplinary proceedings against the retired employees.

5. Government after careful examination of the material evidence furnished by the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, AP, Guntur, decided provisionally to impose a punishment of 5% cut in pension for a period of two years against Smt K.Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district

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(now Retd.,), as the (7) charges are held proved by the Inquiry Authority & Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Praja Praishad, Kurnool in respect of irregularities committed under MGNREGS.

6. In the reference 7th read above, the Charged Officer was issued Show Cause Notice for her explanation if any, on the punishment proposed as above. Smt K. Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,) has submitted her explanation in the reference 8th read above to drop further action.

7. Having not convinced with the explanation of the Charged Officer, it is decided to impose the punishment of 5% cut in pension for a period of two years against Smt K. Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,) in consultation with the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission.

8. In the reference 9th read above, the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has agreed to impose the penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of two years against Smt K. Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,).

9. Accordingly, Government hereby impose the penalty of 5% cut in pension for a period of two years against Smt K. Kalavathi, former MPDO, MPP, Veldurthy, Kurnool district (now Retd.,).

10. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Tadepally, Guntur District / Chief Executive Officer, Kurnool District shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The individual through the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Commissioner Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Andhra Pradesh, Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad, Kurnool.
Copy to:
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Vijayawada.
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Secretariat Building No.5, Velagapudi, Guntur District.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, AP, Vijayawada.
The Accountant General (A&E), AP, Hyderabad.
The District Treasury Officer, Kurnool.
The Sub Treasury Officer, Veldruthy, Kurnool.
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